

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

SB 588 - HB 1182

March 18, 2017

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires the filing of tax returns with the Secretary of State in order for candidates for United States President to appear on the general election ballot in Tennessee.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 2-5-202, each county election commission shall have printed separate general election ballots on which shall be only the names of candidates who have qualified and who are to be voted on at the polling place in which the ballots are used.
- The proposed language would require candidates for United States President to submit their tax returns for the preceding five years to the Secretary of State as a condition of qualification to appear on the general election ballot in Tennessee.
- The submission of tax returns to the Secretary of State will not result in any significant fiscal impact to state or local government.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Krista M. Lee".

Krista M. Lee, Executive Director

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